

ABSTRACT

**METHOD TO GENERATE A PSEUDO RANDOM SEQUENCE OF
MULTI_CARRIER DATA SYMBOLS, AND RELATED TRANSMITTER AND
RECEIVER**

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10 To generate a pseudo-random sequence (PRMS1) of multi-carrier
data symbols (DMT0, DMT1, DMT2), a pseudo-random bit sequence
(PRBS1) is produced by repetitively generating a pseudo-random
sequence of L bits, L being a first integer value (L=4). To create a multi-
carrier data symbol (DMT0, DMT1, DMT2) N bits are used, N being a
second integer value (N=8). The pseudo-random bit sequence (PRBS1) is
subdivided into strings of N' bits, N' being a third integer value larger than
N (N'=9), and N bits out of each string of N' bits are used to generate a
15 respective multi-carrier data symbol (DMT0, DMT1, DMT2). N'-N bits out of
each string of N' bits are left unused.